

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Reissue  
Application No. : **09/902,475**  
Applicant : **Briere, *et al.***  
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Title : **BLOW MOLDING DEVICE FOR PRODUCING  
THERMOPLASTIC CONTAINERS**  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.173  
AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner:

The above-identified application is a continuation of an application for reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,968,560. The application for reissue remains pending and bears application serial number 09/553,413.

In response to the Office Action dated November 2, 2005, the Applicants hereby seek to amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the list of claims beginning on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

A **Petition and Fee for Extension of Time** for a total period of three (3) months is submitted herewith.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**TO LEGAL INSTRUMENTS EXAMINER:**

This is a reissue application. The rules set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 do not apply to reissue applications. Subparagraph (h) of Section 121 states:

(h) *Amendments in reissue applications.* Any amendment to the description and claims in reissue applications must be made in accordance with § 1.173.

Accordingly, the following amendments are presented in accordance with Section 1.173.